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NO MORE BRIDGES

FUND OVERDRAWN AND NO NEW WORK WILL BE ORDERED.

FOURTEEN CONTRACTED

Work is to Start Next Week on New Concrete Structures and They Will Be Finished by December.

The county court issued the following statement Thursday:

"Owing to the bridge fund being overdrawn all bridges not now ordered will have to be carried over until next year."

It was necessary for the court to issue a statement, as at every term of court there is a large number wanting bridges here and there over the county, and the court is unable to do anything as the county bridge fund is already overdrawn.

There are to be built fourteen new bridges in the county, the Standard Bridge company of Omaha having secured the contract for the work at a recent session of the court. Mr. Burns of the bridge company was in Maryville this week, making plans and arranging to commence the work on these bridges. The work will start next week and they will have to be in by December. All of the bridges will be concrete.

TWO BIRTHS FOR EVERY DEATH.

Missouri's Population Increased 8,812 in Second Quarter of the Year.

There were two births for every death in the state of Missouri during the second quarter of 1913, according to the statistics of U. A. McBride, statistician of the state board of health. The population of the state increased 8,812 during this time.

The figures show that there were 16,571 births, of which 8,556 were males, 7,915 females, 16,039 whites and 532 blacks. The total number of deaths was 9,756, of which 5,374 were males, 4,385 females, 8,846 whites and 912 blacks. This is a decrease of 2,252 births, compared with the first three months of 1913.

The figures also show that there was a decrease in the number of deaths from tuberculosis over last year, indicative of the effective fight being waged against the "white plague." The deaths for this quarter from tuberculosis numbered 1,254, as against 1,396 for the same three months of last year. This is a decrease of 142.

Death of Mrs. W. P. Moore.

Miss Frankie Masters and Will Masters of this city received a telephone message Friday morning informing them of the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Moore, widow of the late Dr. W. P. Moore of Maryville. Mrs. Moore had made her home in St. Joseph for several years. Her death was due to paralysis. She was 82 years old. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial by the body of her late husband, Dr. Moore. She has two daughters and a son buried here, the late Miss Charlie Moore and Mrs. Wood Masters, and Warner Moore, for many years with the Nodaway Valley bank.

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MRS. LAWRENCE KIRCH DEAD.

Young Woman Visited Here Last Summer in Company With Her Husband.

John Kirch and family received a telegram Friday morning announcing the death of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Kirch of Riverton, Wyo.

Mrs. Kirch's death occurred some time Thursday night, and the telegram conveying the news was from Mrs. John Kirch, who went to Wyoming two weeks ago on account of her daughter-in-law's illness, which was caused by tuberculosis with complications. The burial will take place at Riverton by the body of the infant child of the young couple, whose death occurred a year and a half ago.

Mrs. Kirch was 26 years old. Her maiden name was Ella Conroy. She was married to her husband three years ago, while she was in the west on a visit from her home in Gloucester, Mass. Last summer Mrs. Kirch visited her parents in Massachusetts and stopped here on her way home to visit Mr. Kirch's parents. She had visited in Maryville before with her husband and was known and admired by many here.

Mr. Kirch is bookkeeper for Delfelter, the great sheep raiser of that section.

FAIRFAX DELEGATION HERE.

Visiting County Highway Commission in Regard to County Seat Road From Maryville.

A party composed of A. L. Carter, George Prettyman, Frank Bradford, M. V. Robinson and A. D. Fellows of Fairfax were in Maryville on Thursday seeing County Highway Engineer John Clay in regard to the Maryville-Rock Port county seat road. The Atchison county commission met on Friday to select the state line roads in that county, and the talk was to select a few of the county seat highways. Fairfax wanted to know how the Nodaway county commission felt in regard to the Maryville-Skidmore-Fairfax-Rock Port road. If Fairfax can't get this road she can get the Rock Port-Oregon road. However, she prefers to be on the Maryville-Rock Port road.

The Atchison commission has received word from the state highway engineer to go ahead and select their roads. No such word has been received by the Nodaway commission, so John Clay stated Friday morning.

Averaged 59 Bushels.

A near record oat crop is reported in the Burlington Junction Post. L. L. Hart, who lives three and one-half miles north of Burlington Junction, threshed out an average of 59 bushels of oats per acre on a 20-acre field. Nor are oats the only crop that is bringing him big yields. A 5-acre field of timothy produced 41 bushels of seed to the acre.

Has a New Car.

James B. Robinson, Theodore Robinson, Homer Shipp and Jesse Miller, Jr., returned Thursday night from Kansas City in Mr. Robinson's new car. It is a six-cylinder, 60-horsepower Speedwell. They made the trip to Kansas City the other day in Mr. Robinson's old Speedwell, which was traded in on the new car.

Patient Went Home.

Dean Wright of Bedison, who has been in Maryville for two months under the care of physicians for appendicitis, was able to go home Friday. He was operated on twice and was in a critical condition for several weeks.

Barnard Has a Paper.

The Barnard Bulletin is again being published. After its discontinuance by Dale Whitehurst four months ago, the first issue appeared Thursday under the new editor, O. A. Haselwood.

Called by Father's Death.

Mrs. W. H. Culver left Friday morning for Alva, Okla., where she was called by a telegram early Friday morning telling of the death of her father, T. C. Riley.

Just a Light Rain.

Rain fell in Maryville and generally over the county Thursday night. The rainfall amounted to .15 of an inch.

Mrs. M. P. Dewey and Mrs. Ruby Breit of Fillmore came to Maryville Thursday and are guests at the home of W. D. Ashford.

Miss Bessie McDowell of Pickering visited in Maryville Wednesday and Thursday.

GETS SCENE HERE OPENS SATURDAY

BASIS FOR HOMER CROY'S ARTICLES FOUND IN HOME COUNTY.

TAKING VACATION NOW

Prosperity Has Found Nodaway County Boy and He is Able to Take Time Off to Visit Home Folks.

Homer Croy, humorist writer and located in New York City, arrived in Maryville Friday morning for a three weeks' vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Croy, and his many friends here. He came here from a week's recreation trip in Wisconsin.

Mr. Croy now is known as a successful writer, as he is contributing to twenty magazines and weekly publications. Some of them are Collier's, Leslie, Judge and Life. Mr. Croy brought his typewriter with him and expects to do some work while visiting his parents.

Mr. Croy, in talking to a representative of this paper, said:

"Since I have been out of college six years, I now feel that I have gained a foothold and don't have to worry about selling any of my articles. I have only one turned down the past year, and that was for the reason that the article was out of date at that time."

"The basis of all my writings is Nodaway county and Missouri scenes and people, as I am well acquainted with such. I don't believe I ever will write about anything else. Of course, my special line is the humorous line, and that alone, and it will always be that."

Mr. Croy has certainly made good. He is a graduate of the Maryville high school and also the state university. On his way back to New York he will stop at Peoria, Ill., to attend the American press humorist convention.

SOLD HIS FARM.

Abe Lutz of Near Pickering, Ind. Sold Over \$100 an Acre for 179.

Abe Lutz sold his 179-acre farm, nine miles north of Maryville to Frank Ulmer, who has been in Oklahoma, for \$18,000, a little over \$100 an acre. Possession will be given in about six weeks. Mr. Lutz is intending to move to Maryville, where he will reside. He was in the city today in company with his wife.

Dow Cook Growing Better.

Professor and Mrs. T. H. Cook received word Friday morning of the continued improvement of their son, Dow Cook, who is at Dr. Murphy's hospital in Chicago for special treatment. Dow is able to go down to the lake every day on his crutches and out to the parks, and is gaining in strength every day. The wound from the surgical operation is about healed, but he will not be able to say when he may return home until Dr. Murphy returns from his trip to Europe.

Issued License to Kane.

At a special meeting of the city council Wednesday, John Kane was issued a dramshop license for six months.

Mrs. Julia Mahoney of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville Wednesday from Des Moines, where she had been visiting, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney.

Miss Mary Frederick of St. Joseph arrived Thursday to visit her cousin, Miss Marie Alden.

OPENS SATURDAY

THE START OF NINE-DAY PROGRAM TOMORROW.

BEAUCHAMP AND CLARK

The Zouaves Will Contribute Music First Day—Sunday School Rally Sunday Morning.

The Opening Day Program.

No morning program.
1:45—Prelude concert by Ewing's Zouave band.

2:30—Lecture, "The Philosophy of a Doughnut," Lou J. Beauchamp.

4:30—Open air band concert, Ewing's band.

Evening:
7:45—Concert by Ewing's Zouave band.

At 1:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the Nodaway Chautauqua will open its nine-day session. Everything is in readiness to start right on time. The Chautauqua spirit, not the go-to-hear-a-lecture spirit, but the go-to-hear-everything-at-once-on-the-grounds spirit, has grown so in the last two years that this Chautauqua will be the best ever held in Maryville. The idea of camping out, staying on the grounds all day, visiting with friends, having picnic suppers and a general good time along with the lectures and entertainments is what the Chautauqua idea really is. The Nodaway Chautauqua is founded on that idea, and that is making it such a success.

Tomorrow's program is a strong opening program. The talent is talent with a reputation made through years of experience on the Chautauqua platform. Lou J. Beauchamp is one of the best known and best liked of Chautauqua speakers. Ewing's Zouave band is one of the strongest of the excellent musical companies on this year's program. It is a band with a reputation for returning year after year to many of its Chautauquas. In addition to their music the band members give a number of picturesque zouave drills.

Sunday morning a big Sunday school rally is to be held at 9:30 o'clock. It is to be a rally of all the Sunday schools in the county, and a great effort is being made to make it a success. S. L. Williams, field secretary of the Missouri Sunday School association, will have charge of the rally and deliver the address. Music will be furnished by Prof. Maulding's orchestra.

A complete list of the tents ordered is given below. In many cases these tents have been ordered by one of a party who have clubbed together for the occasion, and a number of people have ordered more than one tent. The tents are ordered in the names of:

The Hum Drum club (two tents), G. B. Holmes, Jr., Sadie and Gertrude Blair, P. O. Landon (two tents), E. A. Baker, Alma Hotchkiss & Co., Mrs. Emma Eckles, Cora Gehr & Co., Clarence Cook & Co., J. C. White, Rev. C. R. Green, Paul Boyer, Mrs. Edward Walker, J. T. Wells, Prof. Ira Richardson, L. C. Daise, L. E. Watson, Hazel Wallace, Mark Hanna, Mrs. Del Thompson, Pearl Jackson, Harry Mutz, Louis White, Democrat-Forum, Tribune, I X L club, Leo Atherton, Ola Smith & Co., Mrs. Anna D. Day, Alma Nash, Rev. W. E. Royston, Rollard Thomas, C. W. B. M., Colbert, Gilliam and Eaton; Rev. Alva Brown, Clun Price, Byron Rhodes, Orlo Quinn, Lulu Jones & Co., Rev. J. A. Carmichael & Co., Miss Belle Stuart, J. B. Robinson, Emmett Scott, B. E. Condon, Mrs. E. L. Townsend, Rev. G. S. Cox, Penelope club, H. R. Hancock, Dr. Jesse Miller, Gertrude Wright & Co., W. W. Jones

& Co., Mrs. Frank Schweighardt, Mrs. Matthew O'Brien, R. B. Gex, J. F. Montgomery, Alice Porter & Co., Moore Brothers, Raines Brothers, W. A. Burris, A. C. Nicholas, Scott and White, Ladies' rest tent, Missouri Ladies Military band, W. C. Pierce, Lyle brothers, Mrs. Harry Shippy.

Beside these and the dining and restaurant tents, lots for private tents have been ordered by:

Louis White, Emma Crandall, Opa Woodward & Co., Harold Booth, John Price, Fred Kurtz, Charles Wadley, Ed Curfman, Don Davis, Marie Wells & Co., Edward Gray, J. H. Thorpe, Alva Hotchkiss, Virgil Rathbun, Dr. L. E. Dean, W. B. Price, Forest Goodwin and Robert Yeaman.

WHAT HAS IT COST?

Good Profit in Wheat This Year—Takes \$12.32 to Produce an Acre.

What has it cost you to raise, thresh and get your wheat to market, Mr. Farmer? If you have kept an accurate account, including in the costs rent, seed, plowing, cutting, threshing and hauling to market, we would like to know what it is, so that it could be compared with the estimates.

Estimates and averages are about all any one ever hears of. The average yield in Nodaway county this year is estimated at 32 bushels per acre. Thirty-two bushels at 75c per bushel would bring the sum of \$24. According to the state bulletin on wheat it takes \$12.32 to produce an acre. Using these figures a profit of \$11.68 is left. This is a cost of \$1,232 on 100 acres, with a profit of \$1,168, but this is only estimate. What are the actual figures on someone's wheat crop?

DEATH AT PICKERING.

William Alexander Died at 11 o'clock This Morning—Funeral Saturday.

William Alexander, 73 years old, died at 11 o'clock this morning at his home in Pickering. His death was due to kidney trouble, from which he has been suffering for more than a year.

The funeral services will be held at 12:30 o'clock Saturday noon from the Christian church of Pickering. Rev. E. W. Killian will conduct the services. Burial will take place in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mr. Alexander is survived by his widow and two sons, Floyd of Pickering and William of Hopkins.

BOILERS ARE HERE.

Arrived Here Friday and Work Will Start Next Week on Putting Them In.

The two new boilers for the city water plant arrived in the city Friday morning and work will commence on installing them next week. Mr. Martin, who will have charge of the work, is in Maryville making the necessary arrangements. The Mottle-Hines company of Kansas City has the contract for this work and Mr. Hines was in Maryville Friday with Mr. Martin.

IN POLICE COURT.

Two For Disturbing the Peace and One for Drunkenness Up Before Mayor Robey.

There were three cases up before Mayor Robey this morning. Two of them were for disturbing the peace and were Frank and Dot Scull. Both of them pleaded guilty and were fined \$11.10 each. Yats Kinder was arrested for drunkenness and pleaded guilty to that charge and was given a fine of \$8.10. All of the fines were paid.

Visiting at Excelsior Springs.

Miss Bertha Anderson went to Excelsior Springs Friday morning to visit with Miss Mabel Hyder. She was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Crossan, who will visit friends there a few days.

Opal Horner returned to her home in Rosendale Thursday evening from a visit with her father, Wallace Horner.

Misses Grace and Maud Ephland of Hopkins returned home Thursday from a visit with their sister, Mrs. R. A. Ditto.

Miss Elsie Alkire went to Barnard Thursday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Lowell Campbell, until after the picnic.

Mrs. D. F. Sherlock of St. Joseph returned home Thursday evening from a week's visit with Mrs. P. J. Tobin.

Miss Ora Wilcox of Elmo went to Barnard Friday morning to visit Miss Bird Wilson during the picnic.

106 AT 2:30 TODAY

FOURTH TIME IN WEEK MERCURY HAS PASSED 100.

BREAKS AUGUST RECORD

Rain is Badly Needed by Growing Crops and Pastures, But Weather Man Says None is in Sight.

For the first time on record here during August the thermometer was at the 100 degree mark or over today for the fourth time in one week. At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the government thermometer registered 106, and the indications are that it will reach the 108 mark before the afternoon is over. At 1 o'clock it was 104. Today was the hottest August 8 ever recorded by the weather bureau here.

On Thursday the mercury went up to 106, on Tuesday it was 108, and on Monday it was 109.

The past few days have been disastrous in the extreme to the growing corn, and in many places, at least in spots, it is practically ruined. The grass and vegetation generally is dry as tinder and there seems to be no relief in sight in the shape of rain.

SUES FOR \$2,000 DAMAGES.

As a Result of Auto Accident Near Maryville About a Year Ago.

A suit was filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Friday by Wright & Ford for W. L. Marsh against Alfred H. and Arthur Hunt. The petition states that the plaintiff was injured by Hunt's auto on September 11, 1912, four and a half miles east of Maryville, when the auto ran into his wagon, throwing the plaintiff out and receiving many injuries. The plaintiff, states the petition, was bedfast for many weeks. The machine was without the front lights and it was a dark night. As a result of the injuries, Mr. Marsh is wanting \$2,000.

Barnard Picnickers.

Among those who went to the Barnard picnic Friday morning were Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamilton and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Canady, Mrs. S. G. Sealeman, Merle Sealeman, Mrs. J. F. Patterson, Mrs. Anna Gile, Mrs. William McComb, Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Claudine Hughes, Miss Mabel Moore, Mrs. Frank Bolin, Miss Margaret Stafford, Miss Bessie Cunningham, Miss May Doran, Mrs. Anthony Blue, Mrs. John Stundon, Mrs. George Wallace and children, and Frank Wallace.

Left For Rock Port.

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Spickerman and daughters left Friday morning for their home in Rock Port, Mo. Rev. Spickerman has been a member of the State Normal faculty for the summer term and has supplied the pulpit of the First Baptist church during his stay in a most acceptable manner.

W. W. Newlon Dead.

Mrs. J. V. Embree received a telegram Friday morning announcing the death of her brother, W. W. Newlon, at Pacific Grove, Cal. Mr. Newlon's death had been expected for many days. The funeral and burial services will be held Saturday afternoon at Pacific Grove.

Attended Hog Sales.

A. B. Dowden of this city attended two hog sales this week, one at Indianola, Ia., and the other at Logan, Ia. He purchased a sow and herd boar from the best stock to be found. The sale was attended by breeders from all over the country.

Mrs. S. A. Nichols of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Mrs. Emily Cooper, went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic for the day on her way home.

Mrs. W. S. Higgins and son of St. Joseph, who have been visiting Mrs. J. M. Wilson, returned home Friday morning.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Saturday; continued warm.

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AT PRESS TIME.

Whenever any one beside a newspaper man attempts to publish a newspaper it usually is a minister. Just why this should be is a little mysterious, but it probably is because ministers see in newspapers a great instrument for good and are anxious to try to wield it. Most every one remembers the time about fifteen years ago when Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," ran the Topeka Capital for seven days in the way he believed Jesus would have run it. There was no particular aftermath to the experiment, but it was watched with interest all over the country.

Recently a minister of Pasadena, Cal., asked to be allowed to edit an edition of the Pasadena Star. The editor was willing and the minister proceeded to get out a very creditable edition. But along about press time he wrote the following:

"My time is almost up, and as I pen this last line my brain is befuddled and I am free to confess that I am right glad to vacate the holy spot. Such rush and riot and disarray. Such a jumble of porpoise; it strikes me as the effort to bring order out of chaos and to do it lightning quick.

"I am reminded of the memorable words, 'The earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the waters.' Never shall I criticize newspaper men more. I shall pray for them. They will have my heart's forbearance henceforth and forever. They are the hardest worked, shortest lived, poorest paid brain workers on this weary old world of ours."

It is a common failing that the other man's job looks easy until you tackle it, and it is to be noted that the truth holds just as much for newspaper men who try to fill the pulpit as for ministers who essay the editor's chair. However, newspaper men will hope that many ministers will read this Pasadena pastor's conclusion and consequently have a little more charity in wondering why such an instrument for good is sometimes wielded so ineffectively. —*Jeppin Globe.*

CRUCE AFRAID TO LEAVE JOB

Oklahoma Governor Cancels Speaking Engagement at Colorado Springs. Madison, Wis., Aug. 8.—Governor LeRoy Cruce of Oklahoma has cancelled his engagement to address the governors' conference on "A State Department of Economy and Efficiency" at the sixth annual meeting, to be held at Colorado Springs, Aug. 26-28. Notice of this effect has been received by Miles G. Riley, secretary of the conference. Governor Cruce writes that judging from past experience he has reason to fear his absence from the state would give the lieutenant governor opportunity to perform gubernatorial acts contrary to the chief executive's policy.

Priest Denies Charges.

St. Louis, Aug. 8.—Jacob Brys filed suit against Rev. Roman Pawlikowski, former pastor of an independent Polish Catholic church here, for alienation of his wife's affections. He asks \$10,000 damage. A garnishment writ was served on a local trust company to attach funds the priest has there. Rev. Mr. Pawlikowski wired from Scranton to a local newspaper a denial of the charges made against him.

Three Japs in Oregon Town Murdered. Salem, Ore., Aug. 8.—With their heads almost severed from their bodies, Koye Kowa and Mrs. Tam Koda and her child, all Japanese, were found murdered in an alley near a restaurant owned by the woman's husband, Y. Koda. Beside the bodies were found two bloody knives and a revolver. Koda and a companion were arrested.

Gunning Takes Western Handicap. Omaha, Aug. 8.—C. A. Gunning of Longmont, Colo., shooting from the nineteen-yard mark, won the eighth annual western handicap tournament on the grounds of the Omaha Gun club with a score of 100. C. H. Litto of Keithsburg, Ill., and P. J. Cairns of Elmo, Kan., were tied for second and third, with scores of 99.

Risk Companies Back in Missouri. St. Louis, Aug. 8.—That the 125 fire insurance companies which withdrew from the state after the passage of the Orr bill by the last legislature will resume business in Missouri within a couple of days, was the information which came from Jefferson City.

THE FELL AUTO.

Three of the Occupants
Of This Car When It Was
Hit by a Train Are Dead.



Photo by American Press Association.

William Laimbeer's death was the third fatality resulting from the crushing of an automobile by a Long Island railway train at Long Beach. S. Osgood Pelt, the owner of the car, and the chauffeur were instantly killed. Mrs. Laimbeer, the fourth member of the party, was terribly injured. She will probably live, but will be crippled and disfigured.

LOAN SOCIETIES

WEATHER SHOCK

Tornado and Floods Do Not
Weaken Associations.

Milwaukee, Aug. 8.—"Every obligation caused by the Ohio and Indiana floods and the Omaha tornado was met in full by the building and loan associations," said George F. Gilmore of Omaha, who addressed the meeting of delegates to the convention of the United States league of local building and loan associations at the Hotel Pfister.

"But it was only through our big association that we were able to come through the disasters without any fatal results," said Mr. Gilmore. "It proved that an organization of this kind is the greatest benefit in the world for the local building and loan man."

At the convention 6,279 societies are represented, with a total membership of 2,518,442, and a combined capital of \$136,949,465.

Mrs. C. M. Baker and her guest, Miss Cleo May of Parnell, went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Room for Rent" cards at this office, only 1 cent each.

"From the Shadow," two reels, and "The Head of the Kibbion Counter" at the Star theater.

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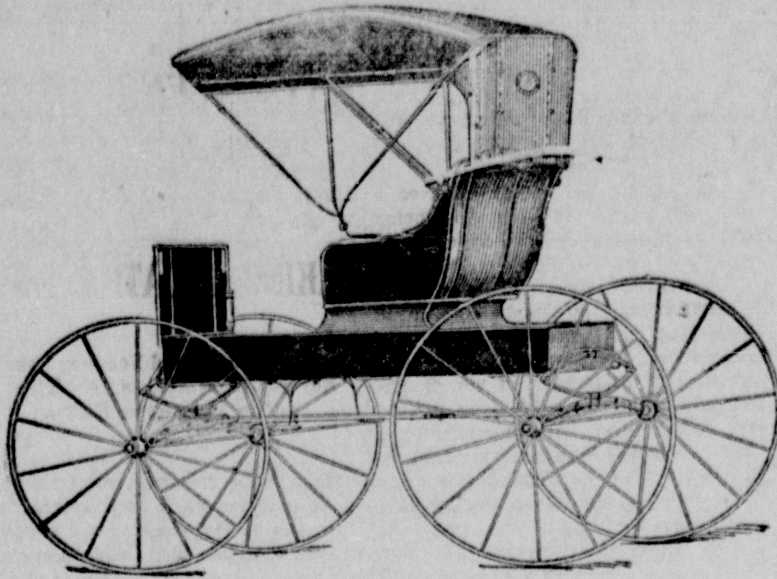
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Maryville and Burlington Junction

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

On Visit to Granddaughters.

Mrs. Robert Judy went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic and will be the guest of Mrs. S. A. Roach and Mrs. I. E. Talloch.

Visitor From Detroit.

Mr. George A. Dempsey of Detroit, Mich., arrived Friday to visit over Sunday with his son, Mr. John Dempsey, and Mrs. Dempsey of East Fourth street.

Guests From St. Joseph.

Mrs. W. J. Sanders and Miss Retta Sanders of St. Joseph arrived Friday noon and will spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Sanders' son, R. G. Sanders and Mrs. Sanders.

Here From Colorado.

Mrs. Jesse Williams and children of Sugar City, Col., arrived in Maryville Thursday night on their annual visit to Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad. Mrs. Lulu Blackman of this city, who is Mrs. Williams' sister, has been visiting her several weeks and returned as far as St. Joseph with her, but stopped there for a visit with friends. Her son, Conrad, came to Maryville with Mrs. Williams and her family.

Home From Vacation.

Miss Nellie Wray returned Friday noon from her month's vacation trip to Springfield and Hollister, Mo. She was accompanied by Mrs. Curtis Wray and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Springfield, with whom she has been visiting. This is Mrs. Wray's first visit to Maryville since her family's removal to that city, over a year ago. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Wray, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad and many other friends and relatives.

For Michigan Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knobbs, living west of Maryville, entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quinlan of Saginaw, Mich., who are guests of Mrs. Quinlan's uncle, Daniel O'Grady, and family. The table was arranged for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Quinlan, Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady, Miss Margaret O'Grady, Miss Ella O'Grady, Miss Angie Waldiere of Parnell, Miss Veronica Knobbs, Messrs. Harry and Will Knobbs and the host and hostess.

House Party at Lake Okoboji.

Miss Ella Walton Frank returned Wednesday night from Lake Okoboji, Ia., where she attended a ten-days' house party given by Miss Ila Carpenter of Des Moines to fourteen Drake university girls, who represented nearly as many states. Miss Carpenter entertained guests, all of whom are her

university classmates, at her summer cottage at Lake Okoboji. The days were delightfully spent in boating, swimming, motoring, and many other outdoor pleasures. Miss Frank was accompanied home by one of the house party guests, Miss Rhea Oppenheimer of Charlton, Ia., who will visit her awhile. They were the first of the party to leave, and they were followed to their train by the dozen girls left behind, who sang sorority songs and wept real tears at their going.

Going to Pennsylvania.

Mrs. J. V. Embree, living southwest of Maryville, expects to leave Monday for McKeesport, Pa., near Pittsburg, to attend the second reunion of the McGrew family, of which she is a member. Mrs. Embree attended the first reunion last year, when 500 of that family were present. This year it is expected that 700 will be in attendance. Mrs. Embree will be accompanied to Pennsylvania by her daughter, Mrs. B. E. Mills of Chicago. She will be gone about six weeks and will return in time to prepare for another trip to California, where she and Mr. Embree and Miss Ethel Embree expect to spend the winter.

Reception Well Attended.

One hundred and seventy-five guests responded to invitations to the reception given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard at Mrs.

Thomas' home. The day was one of the hottest of the year, but the pretty and cool color scheme of green and white in all the rooms had the effect of mollifying the heat so evident everywhere. In the receiving line were Mrs. Shoemaker, Mrs. Bovard, Miss Margaret Beattie of Newport, Ark.; Miss Mary Shaaber of Reading, Pa., whom the guests were asked to meet, and Mrs. Thomas. The dining room was presided over by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. LeGrand Goss, and they were assisted by Miss Dorothy Pierce, Miss Kittie Grems and Miss Brownie Toel. In the library, where punch was served, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend was assisted by Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Miss Dora Carpenter and Miss Laura Barmann. The assisting hostesses were Miss Clara Sturm, Mrs. G. B. Baker and Mrs. E. G. Orear. Music from the victrola was given by Miss Elizabeth Leet.

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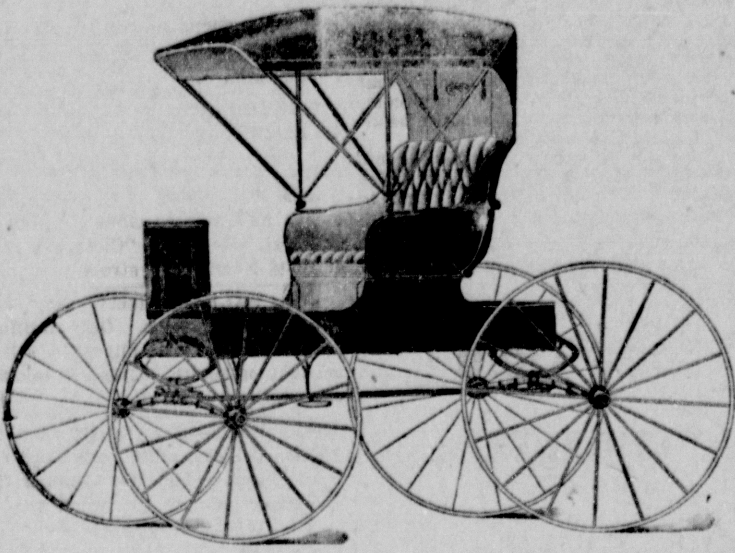
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This well known buggy will be demonstrated at our store on

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During this demonstration we will allow those present to pick anyone from the crowd to select a set of wheels from any Burg Buggy in stock and break them up to see the quality of material used in Burg Buggy construction.

You are invited to see this demonstration and bring all your friends.

WADLEY BROS.

The Old Reliable Buggy Men

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outh side square

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SITUATION IS MOST DELICATE

Washington Regards Relations
With Mexico as Strained.

NO DEMAND FOR INTERVENTION

President Wilson Tell Callers He Believes Some of Minority Congressmen Try to Make It Hard for Him to Handle Situation.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The American government was confronted by what official Washington regarded as the most delicate situation in its relations with Mexico that has yet developed since armed revolution disturbed the peace of the southern republic. The threatened rebuff from the Huerta administration to the mission of John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson, en route to Mexico City to expound the hopes of the United States for a suspension of hostilities and an orderly, constitutional election in Mexico, drew from Senator Bacon, chairman of the foreign relations committee, a declaration on the floor of the senate that the present situation was "the gravest in years, much graver than confronted us when the Cuban question was here."

President Displeased.

The president manifested his displeasure at the attitude of some members of the minority party in congress, telling callers that he believed certain Republicans would make it difficult for him to handle the situation in a peaceful manner. On this account Mr. Wilson justified the strong and emphatic language of Senator Bacon, who in a debate in the senate on the resolution of Senator Clark of Wyoming, Republican, demanding a general investigation of Mexican affairs, had referred to the resolution as openly "disrespectful" and "flouting in the face of the president" while the latter was endeavoring to put into effect a peace policy. The resolution finally was forced off the day's calendar.

No Demand for Intervention.

President Wilson was unmoved by advice from Mexico City depicting the Huerta government as inimical to Mr. Lind's mission. He let it be known, too, that so far as he was able to learn there was not the slightest demand from the American people for intervention.

The president is known to hold the opinion that the Huerta administration would make a vital mistake to refuse at this stage of the situation to receive an envoy from the chief executive of the United States, even though the emissary lacked diplomatic status. Mr. Lind, it was pointed out, purposely was sent without credentials so that he might deal freely with persons of all factions in Mexico who might inquire as to the views of the Washington administration.

It is known that Mr. Lind is instructed to convey the earnest wishes of the United States government for a restoration of peace in Mexico and will make his representations largely through the charge d'affaires of the American embassy.

HUERTA MAKES HIT

Countrymen Admire Him for Talking Back to Washington.

Mexico City, Aug. 8.—President Huerta's prestige among Mexicans in the capital undoubtedly has been strengthened by what is regarded as his defiance of the United States. Even those who had been lukewarm in their support of the administration profess admiration for the soldier-president who dared to talk back to Washington, although not all of them agree as to the wisdom of his course and many of them consider that he acted precipitately in view of the officially defined intentions of Washington.

Mexicans generally of the conservative class appear to believe that Huerta will not drive Mr. Lind from the country, but will be content with ignoring him, except, perhaps, for subjecting him to surveillance in order to see that he does nothing that possibly could be construed as mixing in the politics of the country.

Unless a radical change is effected in the sentiment at the palace, Mr. Lind will not be given an opportunity to talk with President Huerta, even though he is permitted to remain in the capital; nor will he be any more successful in meeting any official of the government.

According to a consular dispatch from Torreón, state of Coahuila, there has been a ten days' battle between government forces and rebels, in which the rebels were repulsed with great loss. The dispatch adds that a further attack by the rebels is expected, despite their defeat.

United States and Salvador Sign Up.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The first of the international peace treaties embodying Secretary Bryan's plans was actually signed. It was between the United States and Salvador and soon will be sent to the senate for ratification.

Metcalfe Arrives in Canal Zone.

Colon, Aug. 8.—Richard Lee Metcalfe of Lincoln, Neb., who is to succeed Maurice H. Thacher as governor of the Panama canal zone, arrived here. Mr. Metcalfe was accompanied by his family.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAM

Morning

9:30. Big Sunday School Rally of all schools in county.

Address by S. L. Williams, field secretary for Mo. S. S. Association. Mr. Williams is an enthusiastic Sunday School worker and is an interesting speaker. It is desired that there be representatives from every school in the county. Music by Maulding's orchestra.

Afternoon

2:00. Prelude Concert by Chicago Operatic Company.

This company is composed of four of the very best singers in America and the highest price organization of the kind on the Chautauqua platform.

2:45. BENJAMIN CHAPIN, in his celebrated character sketch, "Lincoln."

The management has no hesitancy in recommending this as one of the best attractions ever put on the Chautauqua programs. Mr. Chapin dresses, looks and talks like the immortal Lincoln. This characterization has been heard and wondered at by the old personal friends of Abraham Lincoln. They never fail to recommend it as a great dramatic masterpiece.

Night

8:00. Sacred concert by the Chicago Operatic Company.

This concert will include music to please everybody. Don't miss it.

Admission

All day for 35c.

Night program 25c

Everything is in readiness for a great assembly; come out Saturday for Beauchamp and the Zouave Band; come out Sunday; come out every day.

P. S.—The dust is settled, buy a season ticket and help settle the Chautauqua bills.



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Variety Store

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In the Jungle**

**Fern Theatre
Tonight Only**

**Selig's Big Animal
Picture**

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Obituary.

Ara Mae Runnels, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Runnels, was born May 20, 1890, near Pickering, Mo. At the age of 15 years she united with the M. E. church of Pickering, during the pastorate of Rev. J. J. Cokeley. On July 29, 1908, she was united in marriage to E. M. Shreve, they making their home one mile west of Pickering, where she died on August 6, 1913, at the age of 23 years, 2 months and 16 days.

Deceased is survived by her husband, parents and brother, Walter C. Runnels. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church on Thursday, August 7, at 11 o'clock. Burial in White Oak cemetery.

FOR MARYVILLE PEOPLE.

Maryville Citizens' Experiences Furnish Topic for Maryville Discussion.

The following experience occurred in Maryville. A Maryville citizen relates it.

Similar experiences are occurring daily.

Maryville people are being relieved of distressing kidney ills.

Try Doan's Kidney Pills the tested remedy.

Maryville people testify, Maryville people profit.

The evidence is home evidence—the proof convincing.

Maryville testimony is gratefully given.

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You can't do better than patronize our job office

WANTED

Eight girls to wait tables in the Chautauqua dining tent. Short hours, good pay. At once. Call at Binter's Cafe.

Several New Bargains

New Lines of Goods Coming in Daily

Complete Line of Overalls

An exceptional substantial line of overalls have just arrived—your size and kind can be found here. Prices below the other fellows'.

Good Quality Ki Ki Pants

These are the kind of pants that stand the wear and tear. A full line now ready for your inspection.

Bargains That Please and Save You Money

Work Shirts—the best made. **Fancy Shirts**—bound to please. Don't buy the ordinary 50c Shirts when you can get the **Non-Shrinkable Marshall-Field make for 50c**—they are worth more. We sell them to everyone who takes a look at the make and quality.

Wash Ties—good quality 3 for 25c, 25c and 50c ties. The very loudest and latest patterns.

Sock Sale on again—3 pair for 25c. It will pay you to buy \$1 worth. They won't last long.

New style in fall and winter suits are arriving daily.

We are cleaning out our spring and summer suits at great reduction—to make way for the fall stock—some good bargains. **The store of quality and right prices.**

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A HAPPY FAMILY?



Yes, and so will yours be if you make home pleasant for them. One way to do this is to keep on hand a case of our bottled soda. Phone us your order, we'll do the rest.

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First class auto livery at Sewell & Carter's. Reasonable rates. Mutual phone 180. Night phone 4150, day phone 311.

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50c per dozen, August 6 to 9; only for short red, white, pink or yellow roses from our new rose house.

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Local and Long Distance
Phones 17.

ADmits MAILS MISUSE

Methodist Minister Pleads Guilty to Sending Obscene Matter.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 8.—Robert H. Reed, aged forty-five, pastor of the Methodist church at McCleary, Wash., pleaded guilty before the United States commissioner to sending obscene matter through the mails. He said he had done wrong and must take the consequences, though he insisted his motives were pure. The letters complained of were written to a young woman in Durand, Wis. She was formerly employed in the Reed household. Reed's wife died a few months ago. He has two children.

Reed has just returned from a camping trip on Mount Tacoma with a large band of Boy Scouts, of which he was in command.

EXPERT SWIMMER DROWNS

Falls Into River at LaCrosse and Is Not Seen Again.

LaCrosse, Wis., Aug. 8.—"I should worry," shouted Charles Butsch, one of the best swimmers in town, as he fell into the Black river here while attempting to change seats in a launch. Butsch was still smiling when he struck the water. He never came up and all day the river, twenty feet deep at that point, has been dragged.

Mrs. Floyd Alexander of Pickering is visiting in Guilford.

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CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—4,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$9.22. Estimate tomorrow, 9,000.

Sheep—6,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$8.85.

Sheep—2,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—800. Market strong.

Hogs—3,000. Market strong; top, \$8.70.

Sheep, 250. Market strong.

"From the Shadow," two reels, and "The Head of the Ribbon Counter" at the Star theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Barton and daughter, Mrs. Charles Proctor of Ravenwood were attending to business matters in Maryville Thursday.

We are writing

INSURANCE

Fire and Tornado

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TITLE CO.

Good Hot Air Furnace

For Sale

Inquire of

Ralph Eversole

HOPKINS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wiley and Jack Thompson of Bedford were Sunday visitors at the home of William Shinabargar.

Miss Bertha Webb left Wednesday noon for a vacation visit at the home of an uncle at Kellerton, Ia.

Miss Grace Ross and her mother returned from a trip to Excelsior Springs last week, where they went for the benefit of Mrs. Ross' health.

Miss Grace Epelman, a Normal student from Mound City, Mo., spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lou Hughes.

Wid Holmes, our popular route man, was called to his old home, west of town Sunday by the serious illness of his father, R. M. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Demott and children of Maryville spent Sunday with their numerous relatives and friends at Hopkins.

J. P. Parks and wife, who moved to a farm they purchased near Sheridan, last spring, were over for the Chautauqua, and report themselves as well pleased with their new home and the town of Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Griffith have a little daughter in their home, and Mr. and Mrs. Galen Russell have a young son, both babes arriving Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. J. Howard and son of near Maryville visited Mrs. Wm. Wells and Mrs. Tim Butts.

Miss Teresa Ford of Bedford visited last week with Mrs. Jack Campbell, east of town.

Mrs. Estella Douglas attended the funeral of her brother, O. E. Bugby, at Maryville Wednesday.

Miss Rose Ulrich of Bedford was the Chautauqua guest of her friend Miss Bertha Webb. She was accompanied by Miss Edith Mackelfish also of Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worster and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest VanWarmer of Lenox, Ia., spent Sunday in Hopkins the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones.

Mrs. Bud Grimes and daughter Lou left Wednesday noon for an extended visit with relatives at Laharpe, Ill.

Mrs. H. Lewis, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Grimes, also O. Lewis and family, left for her home at Creston Wednesday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGuire and daughter of Oklahoma are here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Al McGuire, also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Filson.

Miss Ada Edmiston, who has been at Clarinda for some time, is visiting her parents, Col. Edmiston, and wife, south of town.

A missionary tea will be held at the home of Miss Susie Bonar the afternoon of August 13, to which all are cordially invited to attend.

G. Fred Davis and Wink Lindsay made a business trip to Maryville Wednesday and incidentally took in the celebration of their colored brethren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart of Kansas City are guests of Mrs. William Bram. Mr. Stewart was at one time a prominent teacher in the Hopkins schools, but is now in the real estate business in Kansas City.

Miss Helen Sisk was assisting at the popcorn wagon during the Chautauqua and liked the work so well she will go with the people to the Barnard picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arch McMaster and children leave this week for an extended auto trip, visiting relatives at Bolckow, Kansas City, Baldwin, Kan., and different points in Nebraska. On their return, after a few days' rest, they will, accompanied by George McMaster and family, leave for Des Moines, Ia., where they will camp during the state fair.

Mrs. Dana Bugbee of Steele City is in Hopkins the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Wray, also Mrs. Frank Mahan, Mrs. O. H. Saylor and Mrs. Fred E. Monroe.

Mrs. Frank Fike of Chariton, Ia., visited last week with her father, J. L. Downer, and sister, Mrs. Fred Woolridge.

Miss Fannie Fike of Chariton left for home Monday, after a very pleasant stay of several weeks with her relatives here. A number of social affairs were given for Miss Fannie, who is very popular with the younger set.

Glen Chaney of St. Joseph was calling on his numerous friends here Saturday. Glen has a responsible position with the Nave-McCord wholesale house and puts in part of the time on the road.

The dust in the streets got so thick as to be almost suffocating, so Fire Chief Will Herbert got out his men Tuesday night, and with the new fire engine sprinkled the streets as far as possible. This could be done often if it were not for a scarcity of water, but the wells just now would not stand much.

Misses Edna Bonewitz and Elizabeth Sobbinga returned Wednesday night from their summer work at the Normal.

Miss Grace Robbins left Tuesday to join a party of Maryville friends on an extended visit to Indiana. The main point of her visit will be Indianapolis, where she will be the guest of her uncle, Mayor Shank, and wife.

Rev. A. D. Selig and wife of Hum-

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Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Solid Gold Pendants

We have just received a beautiful line of solid gold pendants at prices that will surprise you.

Some of these can be bought for \$1.50.

James Brothers
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boldt, Neb., left for Grant City Monday, where they will visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. Selig's coming to Hopkins was a delightful surprise to their friends here and was greatly enjoyed. There seems to be a movement on foot to persuade Mr. Selig, who was pastor of the Presbyterian church here for ten years, to return to the work here. No one ever left Hopkins with more true friends than did Mr. and Mrs. Selig.

Rev. P. A. Tinkham, wife and two daughters, Misses Bessie and Kittie, of Russell, Ia., are here on a visit, coming down in their Ford car. Rev. Tinkham will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Melching died at the home of T. W. Porter Sunday, August 3, 1913, after a week's severe illness. She was cared for by her daughter, Mrs. Alice Davison, who also makes her home with Mr. Porter. The funeral services were held at the Porter home Monday, burial at Slam, Ia.

The Chautauqua at Hopkins closed last Sunday night, and the large crowd dispersed with the strains of the beautiful hymn "America" ringing in their ears, and their minds fully made up to the fact that next year we would have another Chautauqua, even better than this one. This year was simply an experiment, everything was new, the park had only been transferred from a piece of timber, overgrown with weeds and underbrush about two weeks before. Now, however, there will be time to do things, and next year will see a big improvement in the surroundings. The Chautauqua programs, taken as a whole, were very good. Of course, some were better than others, the Anita Singing Orchestra of the first day seeming to make a special hit with the people. Manlove, the man of many faces, also took well, but the hit of the Chautauqua was made by Miss Ethel Hinton, the girl with the dialects, as the crowd simply went wild over her character sketches, and called her back until she was forced to ask to be excused.

One would naturally suppose five days of Chautauqua would be enough for most people, but it doesn't seem to be, as we hear them on all sides planning to go to both Maryville and Bedford at least part of the time.

WANTED

Two good cooks, male or female, for Chautauqua week. At once. Call at Binter's Cafe.

All Kinds of Insurance

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Automobile, Accident and Health, Plate Glass and Indemnity. Call at City Hall.

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FOR RENT—Desirable southeast bed room, modern house, close in. Phone 6510. 7-9

WANTED—Boy to do janitor work for tuition. Address or see E. S. Cook. 3-11

ARE YOU NEXT to the way Becker cleans and presses clothes. Call, and get next. He is the "Clothes Doctor" at 209½ North Main street.

FOR SALE—millinery shop in a good business town. Only millinery in the town. Am obliged to sell on account of health. Cheap if taken in the next two weeks. 5-11

FOR SALE—One Brush runabout, in good running order; one Ford runabout, good order; one Auburn five-passenger touring car, good running order. Will demonstrate any of the above cars. Call or write the Clearmont Motor Co., Clearmont, Mo. 8-11

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The Crockett property on East First street, at No. 1161, has been placed in our hands to be sold to the highest bidder by September 15. Examine the property and mail us your best bid. Terms cash.

A 6-room dwelling on South Buchanan street, in good order, corner lot. Price \$1,750.

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Only best place for you to get a shine.

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BURNS ALL KINDS OF FUEL—Especially slack and cheap grades of soft coal with perfect results, as well as hard coal, gas and coke.

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WITH ITS PATENT REGULATOR—Holds the fire, even with soft coal, for 48 hours and saves the vexing labor rekindling the fire.

CONSUMES NEARLY ALL THE GASES AND SMOKE—Saving about half the fuel. In most furnaces they escape through the chimney, being a fuel waste.

AVOIDS PUFFING GAS OR SOOT—Even in burning soft coal, thus keeping the house entirely free from gas and soot particles.

HAS THE IMPROVED DROP FRONT GRATE—Making it the simplest and easiest cleaned of any furnace made. The entire grate is easily removed.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, AUG. 8, 1913.

NO. 57.

NO MORE BRIDGES

FUND OVERDRAWN AND NO NEW WORK WILL BE ORDERED.

FOURTEEN CONTRACTED

Work is to Start Next Week on New Concrete Structures and They Will Be Finished by December.

The county court issued the following statement Thursday:

"Owing to the bridge fund being overdrawn all bridges not now ordered will have to be carried over until next year."

It was necessary for the court to issue a statement, as at every term of court there is a large number wanting bridges here and there over the county, and the court is unable to do anything as the county bridge fund is already overdrawn.

There are to be built fourteen new bridges in the county, the Standard Bridge company of Omaha having secured the contract for the work at a recent session of the court. Mr. Burns of the bridge company was in Maryville this week, making plans and arranging to commence the work on these bridges. The work will start next week and they will have to be in by December. All of the bridges will be concrete.

TWO BIRTHS FOR EVERY DEATH.

Missouri's Population Increased 8,812 in Second Quarter of the Year.

There were two births for every death in the state of Missouri during the second quarter of 1913, according to the statistics of U. A. McBride, statistician of the state board of health. The population of the state increased 8,812 during this time.

The figures show that there were 16,571 births, of which 8,656 were males, 4,385 females, 8,846 whites and 912 blacks. This is a decrease of 2,252 births, compared with the first three months of 1913.

The figures also show that there was a decrease in the number of deaths from tuberculosis over last year, indicative of the effective fight being waged against the "white plague." The deaths for this quarter from tuberculosis numbered 1,254, as against 1,396 for the same three months of last year. This is a decrease of 142.

Death of Mrs. W. P. Moore.

Miss Frankie Masters and Will Masters of this city received a telephone message Friday morning informing them of the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Moore, widow of the late Dr. W. P. Moore of Maryville. Mrs. Moore had made her home in St. Joseph for several years. Her death was due to paralysis. She has 82 years old. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial by the body of her late husband, Dr. Moore. She has two daughters and a son buried here, the late Miss Charlie Moore and Mrs. Wood Masters, and Warner Moore, for many years with the Nodaway Valley bank.

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Prices Reasonable.

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Capt. E. S. Cook, Pres.

MRS. LAWRENCE KIRCH DEAD.

Young Woman Visited Here Last Summer in Company With Her Husband.

John Kirch and family received a telegram Friday morning announcing the death of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Kirch of Riverton, Wyo.

Mrs. Kirch's death occurred some time Thursday night, and the telegram conveying the news was from Mrs. John Kirch, who went to Wyoming two weeks ago on account of her daughter-in-law's illness, which was caused by tuberculosis with complications. The burial will take place at Riverton by the body of the infant child of the young couple, whose death occurred a year and a half ago.

Mrs. Kirch was 26 years old. Her maiden name was Ella Conroy. She was married to her husband three years ago, while she was in the west on a visit from her home in Gloucester, Mass. Last summer Mrs. Kirch visited her parents in Massachusetts and stopped here on her way home to visit Mr. Kirch's parents. She had visited in Maryville before with her husband and was known and admired by many here.

Mr. Kirch is bookkeeper for DeFetter, the great sheep raiser of that section.

FAIRFAX DELEGATION HERE.

Visiting County Highway Commission in Regard to County Seat Road From Maryville.

A party composed of A. L. Carter, George Pretymann, Frank Bradfield, M. V. Robinson and A. D. Fellows of Fairfax were in Maryville on Thursday seeing County Highway Engineer John Clary in regard to the Maryville-Rock Port county seat road. The Atchison county commission met on Friday to select the state line roads in that county, and the talk was to select a few of the county seat highways. Fairfax wanted to know how the Nodaway county commission felt in regard to the Maryville-Skidmore-Fairfax-Rock Port road. If Fairfax can't get this road she can get the Rock Port-Oregon road. However, she prefers to be on the Maryville-Rock Port road.

The Atchison commission has received word from the state highway engineer to go ahead and select their roads. No such word has been received by the Nodaway commission, so John Clary stated Friday morning.

Averaged 59 Bushels.

A near record oat crop is reported in the Burlington Junction Post. L. L. Hart, who lives three and one-half miles north of Burlington Junction, threshed out an average of 59 bushels of oats per acre on a 20-acre field. Nor are oats the only crop that is bringing him big yields. A 5-acre field of timothy produced 41 bushels of seed to the acre.

Has a New Car.

James B. Robinson, Theodore Robinson, Homer Shippis and Jesse Miller, Jr., returned Thursday night from Kansas City in Mr. Robinson's new car. It is a six-cylinder, 60-horsepower Speedwell. They made the trip to Kansas City the other day in Mr. Robinson's old Speedwell, which was traded in on the new car.

Patient Went Home.

Dean Wright of Bedison, who has been in Maryville for two months under the care of physicians for appendicitis, was able to go home Friday. He was operated on twice and was in a critical condition for several weeks.

Barnard Has a Paper.

The Barnard Bulletin is again being published. After its discontinuance by Dale Whitehurst four months ago, the first issue appeared Thursday under the new editor, O. A. Haselwood.

Called by Father's Death.

Mrs. W. H. Culver left Friday morning for Alva, Okla., where she was called by a telegram early Friday morning telling of the death of her father, T. C. Riley.

Just a Light Rain.

Rain fell in Maryville and generally over the county Thursday night. The rainfall amounted to .15 of an inch.

Mrs. M. P. Dewey and Mrs. Ruby Breit of Fillmore came to Maryville Thursday and are guests at the home of W. D. Ashford.

Miss Bessie McDowell of Pickering visited in Maryville Wednesday and Thursday.

GETS SCENE HERE OPENS SATURDAY

BASIS FOR HOMER CROY'S ARTICLES FOUND IN HOME COUNTY.

TAKING VACATION NOW

Prosperity Has Found Nodaway County Boy and He is Able to Take Time Off to Visit Home Folks.

Homer Croy, humorist writer and located in New York City, arrived in Maryville Friday morning for a three weeks' vacation visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Croy, and his many friends here. He came here from a week's recreation trip in Wisconsin.

Mr. Croy now is known as a successful writer, as he is contributing to twenty magazines and weekly publications. Some of them are Collier's, Leslie, Judge and Life. Mr. Croy brought his typewriter with him and expects to do some work while visiting his parents.

Mr. Croy, in talking to a representative of this paper, said:

"Since I have been out of college six years, I now feel that I have gained a foothold and don't have to worry about selling any of my articles. I have only one turned down the past year, and that was for the reason that the article was out of date at that time."

"The basis of all my writings is Nodaway county and Missouri scenes and people, as I am well acquainted with such. I don't believe I ever will write about anything else. Of course, my special line is the humorous line, and that alone, and it will always be that."

Mr. Croy has certainly made good. He is a graduate of the Maryville high school and also the state university. On his way back to New York he will stop at Peoria, Ill., to attend the American press humorous convention.

SOLD HIS FARM.

Abe Lutz of Near Pickering Received Over \$100 an Acre for 179.

Acre Tract.

Abe Lutz sold his 179-acre farm, nine miles north of Maryville to Frank Ulmer, who has been in Oklahoma, for \$18,000, a little over \$100 an acre. Possession will be given in about six weeks. Mr. Lutz is intending to move to Maryville, where he will reside. He was in the city today in company with his wife.

Dow Cook Growing Better.

Professor and Mrs. T. H. Cook received word Friday morning of the continued improvement of their son, Dow Cook, who is at Dr. Murphy's hospital in Chicago for special treatment. Dow is able to go down to the lake every day on his crutches and out to the parks, and is gaining in strength every day. The wound from the surgical operation is about healed, but he will not be able to say when he may return home until Dr. Murphy returns from his trip to Europe.

Issued License to Kane.

At a special meeting of the city council Wednesday, John Kane was issued a dramshop license for six months.

Mrs. Julia Mahoney of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville Wednesday from Des Moines, where she had been visiting, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney.

Miss Mary Frederick of St. Joseph arrived Thursday to visit her cousin, Miss Marie Alden.

THE NORMAL CHAUTAUQUA PARK



One of the views of the Park, which is one of the best in this section of the country for Chautauqua purposes.

THE START OF NINE-DAY PROGRAM TOMORROW.

BEAUCHAMP AND CLARK

The Zouaves Will Contribute Music First Day—Sunday School Rally Sunday Morning.

The Opening Day Program.

No morning program. 1:45—Prelude concert by Ewing's Zouave band.

2:30—Lecture, "The Philosophy of a Doughnut," Lou J. Beauchamp.

4:30—Open air band concert, Ewing's band.

Evening: 7:45—Concert by Ewing's Zouave band.

At 1:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the Nodaway Chautauqua will open its nine-day session. Everything is in readiness to start right on time. The Chautauqua spirit, not the go-to-hear-a-lecture spirit, but the go-to-hear-everything-stay-on-the-grounds spirit, has grown so in the last two years that this Chautauqua will be the best ever held in Maryville. The idea of camping out, staying on the grounds all day, visiting with friends, having picnic suppers and a general good time along with the lectures and entertainments is what the Chautauqua idea really is. The Nodaway Chautauqua is founded on that idea, and that is making it such a success.

Tomorrow's program is a strong opening program. The talent is talent with a reputation made through years of experience on the Chautauqua platform. Lou J. Beauchamp is one of the best known and best liked of Chautauqua speakers. Ewing's Zouave band is one of the strongest of the excellent musical companies on this year's program. It is a band with a reputation for returning year after year to many of its Chautauquas. In addition to their music the band members give a number of picturesque zouave drills.

Sunday morning a big Sunday school rally is to be held at 9:30 o'clock. It is to be a rally of all the Sunday schools in the county, and a great effort is being made to make it a success. S. L. Williams, field secretary of the Missouri Sunday School association, will have charge of the rally and deliver the address. Music will be furnished by Prof. Maulding's orchestra.

A complete list of the tents ordered is given below. In many cases these tents have been ordered by one of a party who have clubbed together for the occasion, and a number of people have ordered more than one tent. The tents are ordered in the names of:

The Hum Drum club (two tents), G. B. Holmes, Jr., Sadie and Gertrude Blair, P. O. Landon (two tents), E. A. Baker, Alma Hotchkiss & Co., Mrs. Emma Eccles, Cora Gehr & Co., Clarence Cook & Co., J. C. White, Rev. C. R. Green, Paul Boyer, Mrs. Edward Walker, J. T. Wells, Prof. Ira Richardson, L. C. Daise, L. E. Watson, Hazel Wallace, Mark Hanna, Mrs. Del Thompson, Pearl Jackson, Harry Mutz, Louis White, Democrat-Forum, Tribune, I X L club, Leo Atherton, Ola Smith & Co., Mrs. Anna D. Day, Alma Nash, Rev. W. E. Royston, Rollard Thomas, C. W. B. M., Colbert, Gillam and Eaton; Rev. Alva Brown, Clun Price, Byron Rhodes, Orlo Quinn, Lulu Jones & Co., Rev. J. A. Carmichael & Co., Miss Belle Stuart, J. B. Robinson, Emmett Scott, B. E. Condon, Mrs. E. L. Townsend, Rev. G. S. Cox, Penelope club, H. R. Hancock, Dr. Jesse Miller, Gertrude White & Co., W. W. Jones

& Co., Mrs. Frank Schweighardt, Mrs. Matthew O'Brien, R. B. Gax, J. F. Montgomery, Alice Porter & Co., Moore Brothers, Raines Brothers, W. A. Burris, A. C. Nicholas, Scott and White, Ladies' rest tent, Missouri Ladies Military band, W. C. Pierce, Lyle brothers, Mrs. Harry Shippis.

Beside these and the dining and restaurant tents, lots for private tents have been ordered by:

Louis White, Emma Crandall, Opa Woodward & Co., Harold Booth, John Price, Fred Kurtz, Charles Wadley, Ed Curfman, Don Davis, Marie Wells & Co., Edward Gray, J. H. Thorpe, Alma Hotchkiss, Virgil Rathbun, Dr. L. E. Dean, W. B. Price, Forest Goodwin and Robert Yeaman.

WHAT HAS IT COST?

Good Profit in Wheat This Year—Takes \$12.32 to Produce an Acre.

What has it cost you to raise, thresh and get your wheat to market, Mr. Farmer? If you have kept an accurate account, including in the costs rent, seed, plowing, cutting, threshing and hauling to market, we would like to know what it is, so that it could be compared with the estimates.

Estimates and averages are about all any one ever hears of. The average yield in Nodaway county this year is estimated at 32 bushels per acre. Thirty-two bushels at 75c per bushel would bring the sum of \$24. According to the state bulletin on wheat it takes \$12.32 to produce an acre. Using these figures a profit of \$11.68 is left. This is a cost of \$12.32 on 109 acres, with a profit of \$11.68, but this is only estimate. What are the actual figures on someone's wheat crop?

DEATH AT PICKERING.

William Alexander Died at 11 o'clock This Morning—Funeral Saturday.

William Alexander, 73 years old, died at 11 o'clock this morning at his home in Pickering. His death was due to kidney trouble, from which he has been suffering for more than a year.

The funeral services will be held at 12:30 o'clock Saturday noon from the Christian church of Pickering. Rev. E. W. Killian will conduct the services. Burial will take place in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mr. Alexander is survived by his widow and two sons, Floyd of Pickering and William of Hopkins.

BOILERS ARE HERE.

Arrived Here Friday and Work Will Start Next Week on Putting Them In.

The two new boilers for the city water plant arrived in the city Friday morning and work will commence on installing them next week. Mr. Martin, who will have charge of the work, is in Maryville making the necessary arrangements. The Merte-Hines company of Kansas City has the contract for this work and Mr. Hines was in Maryville Friday with Mr. Martin.

IN POLICE COURT.

Two For Disturbing the Peace and One for Drunkenness Up Before Mayor Robey.

There were three cases up before Mayor Robey this morning. Two of them were for disturbing the peace and were Frank and Dot Scull. Both of them pleaded guilty and were fined \$11.10 each. Yats Kinder was arrested for drunkenness and pleaded guilty to that charge and was given a fine of \$8.10. All of the fines were paid.

Visiting at Excelsior Springs.

Miss Bertha Anderson went to Excelsior Springs Friday morning to visit with Miss Mabel Hyder. She was accompanied as far as St. Joseph by her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Crossan, who will visit friends there a few days.

Opal Horner returned to her home in Rosendale Thursday evening from a visit with her father, Wallace Horner.

Misses Grace and Maud Ephland of Hopkins returned home Thursday from a visit with their sister, Mrs. R. A. Ditto.

Miss Elsie Alkire went to Barnard Thursday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Lowell Campbell, until after the picnic.

Mrs. D. F. Sherlock of St. Joseph returned home Thursday evening from a week's visit with Mrs. P. J. Tobin.

Miss Ora Wilcox of Elmo went to Barnard Friday morning to visit Miss Bird Wilson during the picnic.

106 AT 2:30 TODAY

FOURTH TIME IN WEEK MERCURY HAS PASSED 100.

BREAKS AUGUST RECORD

Rain is Badly Needed by Growing Crops and Pastures, But Weather Man Says None is in Sight.

For the first time on record here during August the thermometer was at the 100 degree mark or over today for the fourth time in one week. At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the government thermometer registered 106, and the indications are that it will reach the 108 mark before the afternoon is over. At 1 o'clock it was 104. Today was the hottest August 8 ever recorded by the weather bureau here. On Thursday the mercury went up to 106, on Tuesday it was 108, and on Monday it was 100.

The past few days have been disastrous in the extreme to the growing corn, and in many places, at least in spots, it is practically ruined. The grass and vegetation generally is dry as tinder and there seems to be no relief in sight in the shape of rain.

SUES FOR \$2,000 DAMAGES.

As a Result of Auto Accident Near Maryville About a Year Ago.

A suit was filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Friday by Wright & Ford for W. L. Marsh against Alfred H. and Arthur Hunt. The petition states that the plaintiff was injured by Hunt's auto on September 11, 1912, four and a half miles east of Maryville, when the auto ran into his wagon, throwing the plaintiff out and receiving many injuries. The plaintiff, states the petition, was bedfast for many weeks. The machine was without the front lights and it was a dark night. As a result of the injuries, Mr. Marsh is wanting \$2,000.

Barnard Picnickers.

Among those who went to the Barnard picnic Friday morning were Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Hamilton and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Canady, Mrs. S. G. Sealeman, Merle Sealeman, Mrs. J. P. Patterson, Mrs. Anna Gile, Mrs. William McComb, Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Claudine Hughes, Miss Mabel Moore, Mrs. Frank Bolin, Miss Margaret Stafford, Miss Bessie Cunningham, Miss May Doran, Mrs. Anthony Bluel, Mrs. John Stundon, Mrs. George Wallace and children, and Frank Wallace.

Left For Rock Port.

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Spickerman and daughters left Friday morning for their home in Rock Port, Mo. Rev. Spickerman has been a member of the State Normal faculty for the summer term and has supplied the pulpit of the First Baptist church during his stay in a most acceptable manner.

W. W. Newlon Dead.

Mrs. J. V. Embree received a telegram Friday morning announcing the death of her brother, W. W. Newlon, at Pacific Grove, Cal. Mr. Newlon's death had been expected for many days. The funeral and burial services will be held Saturday afternoon at Pacific Grove.

Attended Hog Sales.

A. B. Dowden of this city attended two hog sales this week, one at Indianola, Ia., and the other at Logan, Ia. He purchased a sow and herd boar from the best stock to be found. The sale was attended by breeders from all over the country.

Mrs. S. A. Nichols of St. Joseph, who has been visiting Mrs. Emily Cooper, went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic for the day on her way home.

Mrs. W. S. Higgins and son of St. Joseph, who have been visiting Mrs. J. M. Wilson, returned home Friday morning.

THE WEATHER

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AT PRESS TIME.

Whenever any one beside a newspaper man attempts to publish a newspaper it usually is a minister. Just why this should be is a little mysterious, but it probably is because ministers see in newspapers a great instrument for good and are anxious to try to wield it. Most every one remembers the time about fifteen years ago when Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," ran the Topeka Capital for seven days in the way he believed Jesus would have run it. There was no particular aftermath to the experiment, but it was watched with interest all over the country.

Recently a minister of Pasadena, Cal., asked to be allowed to edit an edition of the Pasadena Star. The editor was willing and the minister proceeded to get out a very creditable edition. But along about press time he wrote the following:

"My time is almost up, and as I pen this last line my brain is befuddled and I am free to confess that I am right glad to vacate the holy spot. Such rush and riot and disarray. Such a jumble of porpoise; it strikes me as the effort to bring order out of chaos and to do it lightning quick."

"I am reminded of the memorable words, 'The earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the waters.' Never shall I criticize newspaper men more. I shall pray for them. They will have my heart's forbearance henceforth and forever. They are the hardest worked, shortest lived, poorest paid brain workers on this weary old world of ours."

It is a common failing that the other man's job looks easy until you tackle it, and it is to be noted that the truth holds just as much for newspaper men who try to fill the pulpit as for ministers who essay the editor's chair. However, newspaper men will hope that many ministers will read this Pasadena pastor's conclusion and consequently have a little more charity in wondering why such an instrument for good is sometimes wielded so ineffectively. Joplin Globe.

CRUCE AFRAID TO LEAVE JOB

Oklahoma Governor Cancels Speaking Engagement at Colorado Springs. Madison, Wis., Aug. 8.—Governor LeRoy Cruce of Oklahoma has cancelled his engagement to address the governors' conference on "A State Department of Economy and Efficiency" at the sixth annual meeting to be held at Colorado Springs, Aug. 26-27. Notice to this effect has been received by Miles G. Riley, secretary of the conference. Governor Cruce writes that judging from past experience he has reason to fear his absence from the state would give the lieutenant governor opportunity to perform gubernatorial acts contrary to the chief executive's policy.

Priest Denies Charges.

St. Louis, Aug. 8.—Jacob Drys, died suit against Rev. Roman Pawlikowski, former pastor of an Independent Polish Catholic church here, for alienation of his wife's affections. He asks \$10,000 damage. A garnishment writ was served on a local trust company to attach funds the priest has there. Rev. Mr. Pawlikowski wired from Scranton to a local newspaper a denial of the charges made against him.

Three Japs in Oregon Town Murdered. Salem, Ore., Aug. 8.—With their heads almost severed from their bodies, Koye Kowa and Mrs. Tam Koda and her child, all Japanese, were found murdered in an alley near a restaurant owned by the woman's husband, Y. Koda. Beside the bodies were found two bloody knives, and a revolver. Koda and a companion were arrested.

Gunning Takes Western Handicap. Omaha, Aug. 8.—C. A. Gunning of Longmont, Colo., shooting from the nineteen-yard mark, won the eighth annual western handicap tournament on the grounds of the Omaha Gun club with a score of 100. C. H. Ditto of Keithsburg, Ill., and P. J. Cairns of Elmo, Kan., were tied for second and third, with scores of 99.

Risk Companies Back in Missouri. St. Louis, Aug. 8.—That the 125 fire insurance companies which withdrew from the state after the passage of the Orr bill by the last legislature will resume business in Missouri within a couple of days, was the information which came from Jefferson City.

THE FELL AUTO.

Three of the Occupants
Of This Car When It Was
Hit by a Train Are Dead.



Photo by American Press Association.

William Laimbeer's death was the third fatality resulting from the crushing of an automobile by a Long Island railway train at Long Beach. S. Osgood Fell, the owner of the car, and the chauffeur were instantly killed. Mrs. Laimbeer, the fourth member of the party, was terribly injured. She will probably live, but will be crippled and disfigured.

LOAN SOCIETIES WEATHER SHOCK

Tornado and Floods Do Not
Weaken Associations.

Milwaukee, Aug. 8.—"Every obligation caused by the Ohio and Indiana floods and the Omaha tornado was met in full by the building and loan associations," said George F. Gilmore of Omaha, who addressed the meeting of delegates to the convention of the United States league of local building and loan associations at the Hotel Pfister.

"But it was only through our big association that we were able to come through the disasters without any fatal results," said Mr. Gilmore. "It proved that an organization of this kind is the greatest benefit in the world for the local building and loan man."

At the convention 6,279 societies are represented, with a total membership of 2,518,442, and a combined capital of \$126,949,465.

Mrs. C. M. Baker and her guest, Miss Cleo May of Parnell, went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic.

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"From the Shadow," two reels, and "The Head of the Ribbon Counter" at the Star theater.

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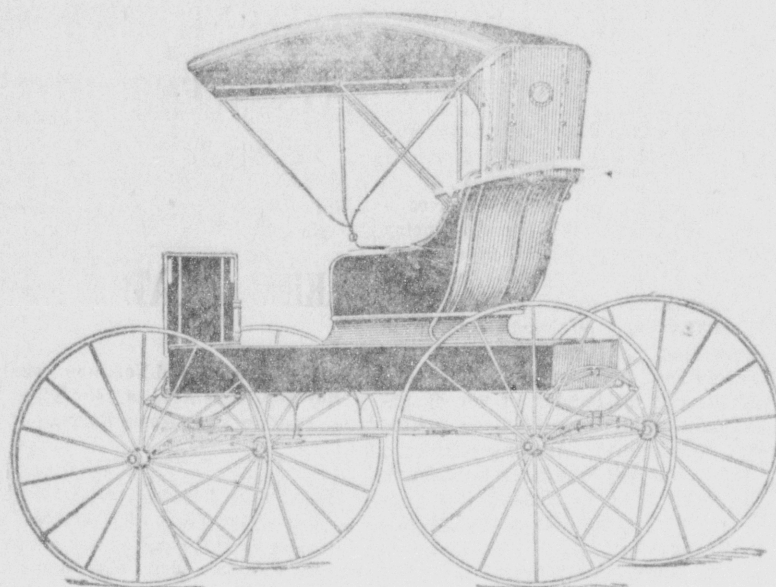
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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

On Visit to Granddaughters.

Mrs. Robert Judy went to Barnard Friday morning to attend the picnic and will be the guest of Mrs. S. A. Roach and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch.

Visitor From Detroit.

Mr. George A. Dempsey of Detroit, Mich., arrived Friday to visit over Sunday with his son, Mr. John Dempsey, and Mrs. Dempsey of East Fourth street.

Guests From St. Joseph.

Mrs. W. J. Sanders and Miss Reta Sanders of St. Joseph arrived Friday noon and will spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Sanders' son, R. G. Sanders and Mrs. Sanders.

Here From Colorado.

Mrs. Jesse Williams and children of Sugar City, Col., arrived in Maryville Thursday night on their annual visit to Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad. Mrs. Lulu Blackman of this city, who is Mrs. Williams' sister, has been visiting her several weeks and returned as far as St. Joseph with her, but stopped there for a visit with friends. Her son, Conrad, came to Maryville with Mrs. Williams and her family.

Home From Vacation.

Miss Nellie Wray returned Friday noon from her month's vacation trip to Springfield and Hollister, Mo. She was accompanied by Mrs. Curtis Wray and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Springfield, with whom she has been visiting. This is Mrs. Wray's first visit to Maryville since her family's removal to that city, over a year ago. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Wray, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad and many other friends and relatives.

For Michigan Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knobbs, living west of Maryville, entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quinlan of Saginaw, Mich., who are guests of Mrs. Quinlan's uncle, Daniel O'Grady, and family. The table was arranged for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Quinlan, Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady, Miss Margaret O'Grady, Miss Ella O'Grady, Miss Angela Waldiere of Parnell, Miss Veronica Knobbs, Messrs. Harry and Will Knobbs and the host and hostess.

House Party at Lake Okoboji.

Miss Ella Walton Frank returned Wednesday night from Lake Okoboji, Ia., where she attended a ten-days' house party given by Miss Ella Carpenter of Des Moines to fourteen Drake university girls, who represented nearly as many states. Miss Carpenter entertained guests, all of whom are her

university classmates, at her summer cottage at Lake Okoboji. The days were delightfully spent in boating, swimming, motoring, and many other outdoor pleasures. Miss Frank was accompanied home by one of the house party guests, Miss Rhea Oppenheimer of Charlton, Ia., who will visit her awhile. They were the first of the party to leave, and they were followed to their train by the dozen girls left behind, who sang sorority songs and wept real tears at their going.

Going to Pennsylvania.

Mrs. J. V. Embree, living southwest of Maryville, expects to leave Monday for McKeesport, Pa., near Pittsburgh, to attend the second reunion of the McGrew family, of which she is a member. Mrs. Embree attended the first reunion last year, when 500 of that family were present. This year it is expected that 700 will be in attendance. Mrs. Embree will be accompanied to Pennsylvania by her daughter, Mrs. B. E. Mills of Chicago. She will be gone about six weeks and will return in time to prepare for another trip to California, where she and Mr. Embree and Miss Ethel Embree expect to spend the winter.

Reception Well Attended.

One hundred and seventy-five guests responded to invitations to the reception given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard at Mrs.

Thomas' home. The day was one of the hottest of the year, but the pretty and cool color scheme of green and white in all the rooms had the effect of mollifying the heat so evident everywhere. In the receiving line were Mrs. Shoemaker, Mrs. Bovard, Miss Margaret Beattie of Newport, Ark.; Miss Mary Shaaber of Reading, Pa., whom the guests were asked to meet, and Mrs. Thomas. The dining room was presided over by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Mrs. LeGrand Gann, and they were assisted by Miss Dorothy Pierce, Miss Kittle Grems and Miss Brownie Toel. In the library, where punch was served, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend was assisted by Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Miss Dora Carpenter and Miss Laura Barmann. The assisting hostesses were Miss Clara Sturm, Mrs. G. H. Baker and Mrs. E. G. Orear. Music from the victrola was given by Miss Elizabeth Leet.

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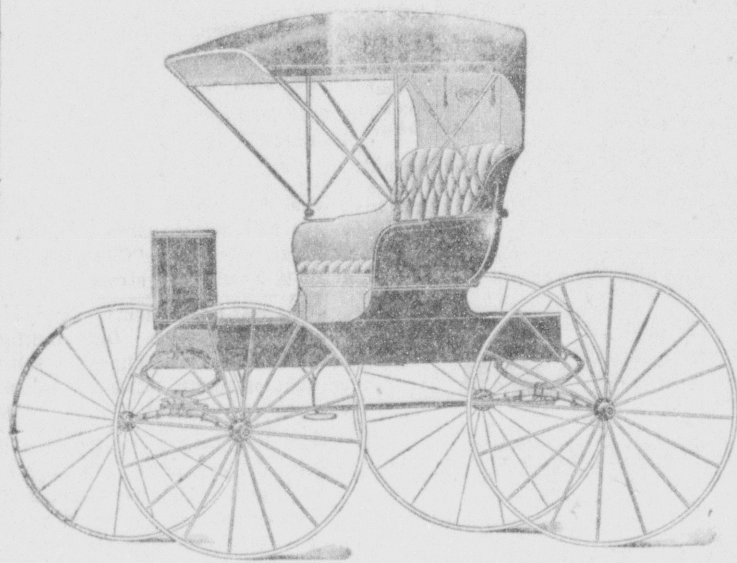
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SITUATION IS MOST DELICATE

Washington Regards Relations
With Mexico as Strained.

NO DEMAND FOR INTERVENTION

President Wilson Tell Callers He Believes Some of Minority Congressmen Try to Make it Hard for Him to Handle Situation.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The American government was confronted by what official Washington regarded as the most delicate situation in its relations with Mexico that has yet developed since armed revolution disturbed the peace of the southern republic. The threatened rebuff from the Huerta administration to the mission of John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson, en route to Mexico City to expound the hopes of the United States for a suspension of hostilities and an orderly, constitutional election in Mexico, drew from Senator Bacon, chairman of the foreign relations committee, a declaration on the floor of the senate that the present situation was "the gravest in years, much graver than confronted us when the Cuban question was here."

President Displeased.

The president manifested his displeasure at the attitude of some members of the minority party in congress, telling callers that he believed certain Republicans would make it difficult for him to handle the situation in a peaceful manner. On this account Mr. Wilson justified the strong and emphatic language of Senator Bacon, who in a debate in the senate on the resolution of Senator Clark of Wyoming, Republican, demanding a general investigation of Mexican affairs, had referred to the resolution as openly "disrespectful" and "routing in the face of the president" while the latter was endeavoring to put into effect a peace policy. The resolution finally was forced off the day's calendar.

No Demand for Intervention.

President Wilson was unmoved by advices from Mexico City depicting the Huerta government as inimical to Mr. Lind's mission. He let it be known, too, that so far as he was able to learn there was not the slightest demand from the American people for intervention.

The president is known to hold the opinion that the Huerta administration would make a vital mistake to refuse at this stage of the situation to receive an envoy from the chief executive of the United States, even though the emissary lacked diplomatic status. Mr. Lind, it was pointed out, purposely was sent without credentials so that he might deal freely with persons of all factions in Mexico who might inquire as to the views of the Washington administration.

It is known that Mr. Lind is instructed to convey the earnest wishes of the United States government for a restoration of peace in Mexico and will make his representations largely through the charge d'affaires of the American embassy.

HUERTA MAKES HIT

Countrymen Admire Him for Talking Back to Washington.

Mexico City, Aug. 8.—President Huerta's prestige among Mexicans in the capital undoubtedly has been strengthened by what is regarded as his defiance of the United States. Even those who had been lukewarm in their support of the administration profess admiration for the soldier-president who dared to talk back to Washington, although not all of them agree as to the wisdom of his course and many of them consider that he acted precipitately in view of the officially defined intentions of Washington.

Mexicans generally of the conservative class appear to believe that Huerta will not drive Mr. Lind from the country, but will be content with ignoring him, except, perhaps, for subjecting him to surveillance in order to see that he does nothing that possibly could be construed as mixing in the politics of the country.

Unless a radical change is effected in the sentiment at the palace, Mr. Lind will not be given an opportunity to talk with President Huerta, even though he is permitted to remain in the capital; nor will he be any more successful in meeting any official of the government.

According to a consular dispatch from Torreon, state of Coahuila, there has been a ten days' battle between government forces and rebels in which the rebels were repulsed with great loss. The dispatch adds that a further attack by the rebels is expected, despite their defeat.

United States and Salvador Sign Up.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The first of the international peace treaties embodying Secretary Bryan's plans was actually signed. It was between the United States and Salvador and soon will be sent to the senate for ratification.

Metcalfe Arrives in Canal Zone.

Colon, Aug. 8.—Richard Lee Metcalfe of Lincoln, Neb., who is to succeed Maurice H. Thatcher as governor of the Panama canal zone, arrived here. Mr. Metcalfe was accompanied by his family.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAM

Morning

9:30. Big Sunday School Rally of all schools in county.

Address by S. L. Williams, field secretary for Mo. S. S. Association. Mr. Williams is an enthusiastic Sunday School worker and is an interesting speaker. It is desired that there be representatives from every school in the county. Music by Maulding's orchestra.

Afternoon

2:00. Prelude Concert by Chicago Operatic Company.

This company is composed of four of the very best singers in America and the highest price organization of the kind on the Chautauqua platform.

2:45. BENJAMIN CHAPIN, in his celebrated character sketch, "Lincoln."

The management has no hesitancy in recommending this as one of the best attractions ever put on the Chautauqua programs. Mr. Chapin dresses, looks and talks like the immortal Lincoln. This characterization has been heard and wondered at by the old personal friends of Abraham Lincoln. They never fail to recommend it as a great dramatic masterpiece.

Night

8:00. Sacred concert by the Chicago Operatic Company.

This concert will include music to please everybody. Don't miss it.

Admission

All day for 35c.

Night program 25c

Everything is in readiness for a great assembly; come out Saturday for Beauchamp and the Zouave Band; come out Sunday; come out every day.

P. S.—The dust is settled, buy a season ticket and help settle the Chautauqua bills.

Obituary.

Ara Mae Runnels, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Runnels, was born May 20, 1890, near Pickering, Mo. At the age of 15 years she united with the M. E. church of Pickering, during the pastorate of Rev. J. J. Coleley. On July 29, 1908, she was united in marriage to E. M. Shreve, they making their home one mile west of Pickering, where she died on August 6, 1913, at the age of 23 years, 2 months and 16 days.

Deceased is survived by her husband, parents and brother, Walter C. Runnels. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church on Thursday, August 7, at 11 o'clock. Burial in White Oak cemetery.

FOR MARYVILLE PEOPLE.

Maryville Citizens' Experiences Furnish Topic for Maryville Discussion.

The following experience occurred in Maryville. A Maryville citizen states it.

Similar experiences are occurring lately.

Maryville people are being relieved of distressing kidney ills.

Try Doan's Kidney Pills the tested remedy.

Maryville people testify, Maryville people profit.

The evidence is home evidence—the proof convincing.

Maryville testimony is gratefully given.

Maryville sufferers should heed it.

A. W. Hawkins, Main St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I can still recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I did in the statement I gave for publication in 1911. Some years ago I had a weak, sore and aching back and at that time I used Doan's Kidney Pills. They soon gave me relief and I haven't used a kidney medicine since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

You can't do better than patronize our job office

WANTED

Eight girls to wait tables in the Chautauqua dining tent. Short hours, good pay. At once. Call at Binter's Cafe.

Several New Bargains

New Lines of Goods Coming in Daily

Complete Line of Overalls

An exceptional substantial line of overalls have just arrived—your size and kind can be found here. Prices below the other fellows'.

Good Quality Ki Ki Pants

These are the kind of pants that stand the wear and tear. A full line now ready for your inspection.

Bargains That Please and Save You Money

Work Shirts—the best made. **Fancy Shirts**—bound to please. Don't buy the ordinary 50c Shirts when you can get the **Non-Shrinkable Marshall-Field make** for 50c—they are worth more. We sell them to everyone who takes a look at the make and quality.

Wash Ties—good quality 3 for 25c, 25c and 50c ties. The very loudest and latest patterns.

Sock Sale on again—3 pair for 25c. It will pay you to buy \$1 worth. They won't last long.

New style in fall and winter suits are arriving daily.

We are cleaning out our spring and summer suits at great reduction—to make way for the fall stock—some good bargains. **The store of quality and right prices.**

NUSBAUM

A HAPPY FAMILY?



Yes, and so will yours be if you make home pleasant for them. One way to do this is to keep on hand a case of our bottled soda. Phone us your order, we'll do the rest.

BANNER BOTTLING WORKS

L. G. Upschulte, Prop.

Auto Livery Co.

Homer Shipps, Mgr.

First class auto livery at Sewell & Carter's. Reasonable rates. Mutual phone 180. Night phone 4150, day phone 311.

Fresh Cut Roses

50c per dozen, August 6 to 9; only for short red, white, pink or yellow roses from our new rose house.

THE ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES

1001 South Main St.
Local and Long Distance
Phones 17.

ADMITS MAILS MISUSE

Methodist Minister Pleads Guilty to Sending Obscene Matter.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 8.—Robert H. Reed, aged forty-five, pastor of the Methodist church at McCleary, Wash., pleaded guilty before the United States commissioner to sending obscene matter through the mails. He said he had done wrong and must take the consequences, though he insisted his motives were pure. The letters complained of were written to a young woman in Durand, Wis. She was formerly employed in the Reed household. Reed's wife died a few months ago. He has two children.

Reed has just returned from a camping trip on Mount Tacoma with a large band of Boy Scouts, of which he was in command.

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EXPERT SWIMMER DROWNS

Falls Into River at LaCrosse and is Not Seen Again.

LaCrosse, Wis., Aug. 8.—"I should worry," shouted Charles Butsch, one of the best swimmers in town, as he fell into the Black river here while attempting to change seats in a launch. Butsch was still smiling when he struck the water. He never came up and all day the river, twenty feet deep at that point, has been dragged.

Mrs. Floyd Alexander of Pickering is visiting in Guilford.

Our reputation is at stake unless we do good work. Try us for cleaning, repairing and pressing. You'll come back.

Van Steenberg & Son

Phone 279.

Over Tate's Toggery Shop.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—4,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$9.22. Estimate tomorrow, 9,000.

Sheep—6,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,500. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$8.85.

Sheep—2,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—800. Market strong.

Hogs—3,000. Market strong; top, \$8.70.

Sheep, 250. Market strong.

"From the Shadow," two reels, and "The Head of the Ribbon Counter" at the Star theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Barton and daughter, Mrs. Charles Proctor of Ravenwood were attending to business matters in Maryville Thursday.

We are writing

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Good Hot Air Furnace

For Sale

Inquire of

Ralph Eversole

No Furnace Ever Built Has Met With Such Universal Praise the Country Over Because the

XXTH CENTURY FURNACE



soft coal, thus keeping the house entirely free from gas and soot particles.

HAS THE IMPROVED DROP FRONT GRATE—Making it the simplest and easiest cleaned of any furnace made. The entire grate is easily removed.

Before buying call at South Side Hardware and see the XXth Century.

C. A. BARBOUR, South Side Hardware

FIREPOT HAS SPECIAL FEATURES—It is built on an exclusive patent that gives a free circulation of air at all times and preserves the firepot.

BURNS ALL KINDS OF FUEL—Especially slack and cheap grades of soft coal with perfect results, as well as hard coal, gas and coke.

BURNS THE FUEL IN A CIRCLE—Around the outer edge and toward the center with perfect combustion, giving the greatest heat from the least fuel.

WITH ITS PATENT REGULATOR—Holds the fire, even with soft coal, for 48 hours and saves the vexing labor re-kindling the fire.

CONSUMES NEARLY ALL THE GASES AND SMOKE—Saving about half the fuel. In most furnaces they escape through the chimney, being a fuel waste.

AVOIDS PUFFING GAS OR SOOT—Even in burning

HOPKINS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wiley and Jack Thompson of Bedford were Sunday visitors at the home of William Shinabargar.

Miss Bertha Webb left Wednesday noon for a vacation visit at the home of an uncle at Kellerton, Ia.

Miss Grace Ross and her mother returned from a trip to Excelsior Springs last week, where they went for the benefit of Mrs. Ross' health.

Miss Grace Spellman, a Normal student from Mound City, Mo., spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lou Hughes.

Wid Holmes, our popular route man, was called to his old home, west of town Sunday by the serious illness of his father, R. M. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Demott and children of Maryville spent Sunday with their numerous relatives and friends at Hopkins.

J. P. Parks and wife, who moved to a farm they purchased near Sheridani, last spring, were over for the Chautauqua, and report themselves as well pleased with their new home and the town of Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Griffith have a little daughter in their home, and Mr. and Mrs. Galen Russell have a young son, both babes arriving Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. J. Howard and son of near Maryville visited Mrs. Wm. Wells and Mrs. Tim Butts.

Miss Teresa Ford of Bedford visited last week with Mrs. Jack Campbell, east of town.

Mrs. Estella Douglas attended the funeral of her brother, O. E. Bugby, at Maryville Wednesday.

Miss Rose Ulrich of Bedford was the Chautauqua guest of her friend Miss Bertha Webb. She was accompanied by Miss Edith Mackelfish also of Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Worster and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest VanWormer of Lenox, Ia., spent Sunday in Hopkins the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones.

Mrs. Bud Grimes and daughter Lou left Wednesday noon for an extended visit with relatives at Laharpe, Ill.

Mrs. H. Lewis, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Grimes, also O. Lewis and family, left for her home at Creston Wednesday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGuire and daughter of Oklahoma are here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Al McGuire, also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Filson.

Miss Ada Edmiston, who has been at Clarinda for some time, is visiting her parents, Col. Edmiston, and wife, south of town.

A missionary tea will be held at the home of Miss Susie Bonar the afternoon of August 13, to which all are cordially invited to attend.

G. Fred Davis and Wink Lindsay made a business trip to Maryville Wednesday and incidentally took in the celebration of their colored brethren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stewart of Kansas City are guests of Mrs. William Bram. Mr. Stewart was at one time a prominent teacher in the Hopkins schools, but is now in the real estate business in Kansas City.

Miss Helen Sisk was assisting at the popcorn wagon during the Chautauqua and liked the work so well she will go with the people to the Barnard picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arch McMaster and children leave this week for an extended auto trip, visiting relatives at Bolckow, Kansas City, Baldwin, Kan., and different points in Nebraska. On their return, after a few days' rest, they will, accompanied by George McMaster and family, leave for Des Moines, Ia., where they will camp during the state fair.

Mrs. Dana Bugbee of Steele City is in Hopkins the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Wray, also Mrs. Frank Mahan, Mrs. O. H. Saylor and Mrs. Fred B. Monroe.

Mrs. Frank Fike of Chariton, Ia., visited last week with her father, J. L. Downer, and sister, Mrs. Fred Woodridge.

Miss Fannie Fike of Chariton left for home Monday, after a very pleasant stay of several weeks with her relatives here. A number of social affairs were given for Miss Fannie, who is very popular with the younger set.

Glen Chaney of St. Joseph was calling on his numerous friends here Saturday. Glen has a responsible position with the Nave-McCord wholesale house and puts in part of the time on the road.

The dust in the streets got so thick as to be almost suffocating, so Fire Chief Will Herbert got out his men Tuesday night, and with the new fire engine sprinkled the streets as far as possible. This could be done often if it were not for a scarcity of water, but the wells just now would not stand much.

Misses Edna Bonewitz and Elizabeth Sobbing returned Wednesday night from their summer work at the Normal.

Miss Grace Robbins left Tuesday to join a party of Maryville friends on an extended visit to Indiana. The main point of her visit will be Indianapolis, where she will be the guest of her uncle, Mayor Shank, and wife.

Rev. A. D. Selig and wife of Hum-

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from your druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful, clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Solid Gold Pendants

We have just received a beautiful line of solid gold pendants at prices that will surprise you.

Some of these can be bought for \$1.50.

James Brothers
JEWELRY

boldt, Neb., left for Grant City Monday, where they will visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. Selig's coming to Hopkins was a delightful surprise to their friends here and was greatly enjoyed. There seems to be a movement on foot to persuade Mr. Selig, who was pastor of the Presbyterian church here for ten years, to return to the work here. No one ever left Hopkins with more true friends than did Mr. and Mrs. Selig.

Rev. P. A. Tinkham, wife and two daughters, Misses Bessie and Kittie, of Russell, Ia., are here on a visit, coming down in their Ford car. Rev. Tinkham will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Melching died at the home of T. W. Porter Sunday, August 2, 1913, after a week's severe illness. She was cared for by her daughter, Mrs. Alice Davidson, who also makes her home with Mr. Porter. The funeral services were held at the Porter home Monday, burial at Siam, Ia.

The Chautauqua at Hopkins closed last Sunday night, and the large crowd dispersed with the strains of the beautiful hymn "America" ringing in their ears, and their minds fully made up to the fact that next year we would have another Chautauqua, even better than this one. This year was simply an experiment, everything was new, the park had only been transferred from a piece of timber, overgrown with weeds and underbrush about two weeks before. Now, however, there will be time to do things, and next year will see a big improvement in the surroundings. The Chautauqua programs, taken as a whole, were very good. Of course, some were better than others, the Anita Singing Orchestra of the first day seeming to make a special hit with the people. Manlove, the man of many faces, also took well, but the hit of the Chautauqua was made by Miss Ethel Hinton, the girl with the dialects, as the crowd simply went wild over her character sketches, and called her back until she was forced to ask to be excused.

One would naturally suppose five days of Chautauqua would be enough for most people, but it doesn't seem to be, as we hear them on all sides planning to go to both Maryville and Bedford at least part of the time.

WANTED

Two good cooks, male or female, for Chautauqua week. At once. Call at Binter's Cafe.

All Kinds of Insurance

Fire, Tornado, Hail, Automobile, Accident and Health, Plate Glass and Indemnity—Call at City Hall.

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FOR RENT—Desirable southeast bed room, modern house, close in. Phone 6510. 7-9

WANTED—Boy to do janitor work for tuition. Address or see E. S. Cook. 2-4

ARE YOU NEXT to the way Becker cleans and presses clothes. Call, and get next. He is the "Clothes Doctor" at 209½ North Main street.

FOR SALE—millinery shop in a good business town. Only millinery in the town. Am obliged to sell on account of health. Cheap if taken in the next two weeks. 5-11

FOR SALE—One Brush runabout, in good running order; one Ford runabout, good order; one Auburn five-passenger touring car, good running order. Will demonstrate any of the above cars. Call or write the Clearmont Motor Co., Clearmont, Mo. 8-11

For Sale

The Crockett property on East First street, at No. 1101, has been placed in our hands to be sold to the highest bidder by September 15. Examine the property and mail us your best bid. Terms cash.

A 6-room dwelling on South Buchanan street, in good order, corner lot. Price \$1,750.

A 6-room story and a half house on West First street, fine locality, a snap if taken soon. Can be had at \$2,100. 8-room house, corner Market and Thompson, known as the Thomas Parle place. Price \$2,500, half cash, balance time.

Get ready for the Texas trip August 19
Valentine Valley

60 acres, good improvements, 1 miles south of Maryville. Price, \$115. 120 acres, good improvements, 6 miles northwest, \$125.

Holmes & Wolfert

Office over H. T. Crane's Book Store.

FOR SALE

Sawmill, 75-tooth saw, Bowser grinder, Russell engine, all complete for running. Also living shacks. \$350. D. CADDELL, Clyde, Mo.

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Away for summer vacation. Back September 1st.

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Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new house or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

Standard Plumbing Co.

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We Never Sleep.

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The New London Shining Parlor,
For Ladies and Gentlemen.
Only best place for you to get a shine.
Hats Cleaned and Blocked.
Hyslop building, north side square.
Opens Saturday, August 9.